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COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of

the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Prays Central, on TUESDAY, the 28th February,

1893, at 12 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose

of receiving the Report of the Directors,

and Statement of Accounts to 31st Decem-

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

will be OLOSED from the 14th to 28th

CHINA SUGAR REFINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Fifteenth Ordinary Annual MEET.

the Company will be held at the OFFICE of

Accounts to the 31st December, 1892.

to 2nd March, both days inclusive.

Hougkong, February 14, 1893.

ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

CHINA SUGAR REFININ

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

N EXTRAORDINARY General

A MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS

of the Company will be held at the OFFICE

of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, at

12.15 p.m., on THURSDAY, the 2nd

March, when the following Resolution will

That the Capital of the Company be

raised to \$2,000,000 by the issue of

5,000 New Shares of \$100 each, to be

issued at such price, to such parties

and upon such terms and conditions as

to cells or otherwise howsoever, as the

General Agents and Consulting Com-

mittee shall think fit, and that the figures 1,500 be eliminated from Article

59 of the Company's Articles of Asso-

cistion and the figures 2,000 substituted

therefor, and that the Special Resolu-

tions of March, 1887, and everything

done thereunder be hereby passed and

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

LUZON SUGAR REFINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

/ THE Eleventh Ordinary Annual MEET.

Company will be held at the OFFICE of the

General Agents, Pedder's Street, at 12.30

p.m., on THURSDAY, 2nd March, for the

purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of Ac-

The Transfer BOUKS of the Company

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

LIMITED.

THE Fourth Ordinary General MEET

ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the

LIMITED, will be held on THURSDAY,

the 9th March, at Noon, instead of Tues-

DAY, the 28th February, as previously

A PRIVATE MEETING of SHARE-

The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

General Agents.

will be OLOSED from the 16th February

counts to 31st December, 1892.

to 2nd March, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, February 14, 1898

advertised.

AFTERWARDS.

until the 9th Proximo.

ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the

Hongkong, February 18, 1893

General Agents.

be proposed : -

confirmed.

General Agente.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

Hougkong, February 9, 1893

Idstant, both days inclusive.

SHAREHOLDERS will be held in

THE READ MASTER.

Hougkong, February 4, 1893.

WEDNESDAY, let March.

Hongkong, February 24, 1893.

JOHN THURBURN,

Manager, Hongkong.

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I ONG KONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION.

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-

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up to \$200,000. On Fixed Deposits .-For 6 months 3} per cent. per annum. \$200,000. it on sums

in execus of \$200,000: F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 3, 1893.

TIME BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED. SUBSCRIEBO CAPITAL, ... £2,000,000. Capital Called UP 1 251,093.15.0.

RESERVE FUND, 223,629.13.7. Board of Directors. WM. KESWICK, Esq., Chairman.

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. The Hon'ble C. P. CHATES. The Hon ble J. J. BELL-IRVING. H. Hoppius, Esq.

Head Office: 3, PRINCES STREET, LONDON. Branches:

BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG & SHANGHAD Agencies : PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA. RATES OF INTEREST,

Allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, can be ascertained on application. CHANTREY INCHBALD, Manager.

Hongkong, February 7, 1893. HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is con- GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, ducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-PION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,

F. DE BOVIS. Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

PRIVATE BOARD AND RESIDENCE. GLENEALY BUILDINGS, (Nos. 12 and 14, Wyndham Street,)

TRE. GILLANDERS has VACANCIES for RESIDENT BOARDERS and VISITORS also Accommodation for Table Boarders. Hongkong, July 1, 1892.

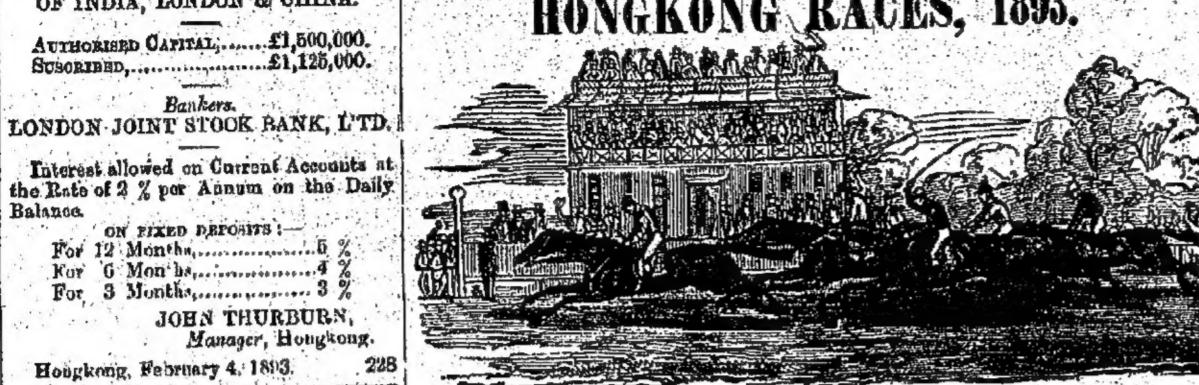
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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1893.

Business Notices.

Establishod

HONGKONG RACES, 1893.



MALL SRELL HATS, NEW FELT HATS, GLOVE TIES, SCARFS, BOOTS.

CARRIAGE WRAPS, SADDLERY. L. C. & Co.'s NEW RACE GLASSES, \$7.50 and \$10.00 EACH. AYALA & Co.'s EXTRA DRY CHAMPAGNE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1893

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Telegraphic Address, ... Kremlin "-A. B. C. Code. THE Most Commonious and Best-APPOINTED HOTEL in the Far East; situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, and adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony).

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NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty. R. TUCKER, Manager.

Hongkong, October 21, 1892.

the General Agents, Pedder's Street, at TELEPHONE Telegraphic address
"EXCELAIOR," Hongkong,
A. B. C. Code. Noon, on THURSDAY, the 2nd March, No. 35. for the purpose of receiving a Report from the General Agents, with a Statement of FTARIFF FROM DECEMBER 1st, 1892, UNTIL APRIL 30TH, 1893, will be CLOSED from the 16th February

Board and Lodging by the Month, one person

Board and Lodging by the Month for Married Couples occupying one room
... CHILDREN BY SPECIAL ARBANGEMENT. Sitting-room by the Day ... \$ 2.50 | Tiffin \$ 1.00 Sitting-room by the Month ... 30.00 Dinner 1.50 2.00 European Servants by the Day Extra Bed-room by the Day ... Extra Bed-room by the Month ... 20.00 European Servants by the Month (Bedroom extra)... ... 20.00 Bed and Breakfast... 0.75 Chinese Servants by the Day Breakfast ...

TRANSMAY Trokers will be supplied to Residents and Visitors at the Hotel at reduced rates.—For further Particulars apply at the Company's Orrica, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, or to R. ISHERWOOD, Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL Hongkong, October 7, 1892.

W. POWELL

ADIES' AND CHILDREN'S FRENCH SHOES.

Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's TENNIS SHOES. LADIES', GENTLEMEN'S and CHILDREN'S CANVAS SHOES. TAN BOOTS AND SHOES. AND BLACK SHOE DRESSINGS

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Hongkong, February 25, 1893.

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HOLDERS will be held IMMEDIATELY 259 HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

General Managers. Hongkong, February 23, 1893 STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

of this Company will be held at the receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st HEAD OFFICE, SINGAPORE, on FRIDAY, December, 1892, the Report of the General 17th March, at Noon. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from 3rd to 17th March.

both days inclusive. By Order of the Directors, WM. MACBEAN,

HONGRONG BRANCH. Hongkong, February 20, 1883.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-Fourth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company, will be held at the OFFICES of the Company, Pedder's Street, FRIDAY, the 10th Proxime, at Noon, Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th Instant to the 10th Proximo, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong Fire Insurauce Co., Ld. Hougkong, February 11, 1893.

KÉBAO SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME FRANÇAISE. CAPITAL, 4,000,000 FRANCS.

T A Société Kébao (Tonkin) dont l'extraction prend tous les jours de l'importance et qui est seule fournisseur de la Marine Française au Tonkin, dont le charbon est brûle d'une façon régulière à bord des Steamers des MESSACREIES MARITIMES, et en particulier à bord du "Haiphong," voulant introduire ses Charbons sur la place de Hongkong a confié le soin de son Agence SHEWAN & CIE.

Praya Central, Hongkong, à partir du 1er Novembre, 1892. Le Directour Général de Kébao, HENRY PORTAL, Kébao le 10 Decembre, 1892.

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that REGISTER of SHARES of CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered; By Order of the Court of Directors,

F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager: Hongkong, February 3, 1803. iongkong & shanghai bankii

CORPORATION.

NY OTICE is hereby given that the Or. BACK, CROCKERY and GLASS WARE. dinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 27th day of February current, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Account to 31st December, 1892.

By Order of the Court of Directors, F. DE BOVIS. Ohief Manager.

Hongkong, February 3, 1893. GERMAN GOVERNESS WANTS OF SITUATION in Hongkong or Coast Ports, in a German or English Family with Children from 3 to 8 years.

For information apply to F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, February 23, 1893.



N Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be held on TUESDAY, the 28th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BEETHBEN are cordially

Hongkong, February 21, 1893.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

AR. M. RIETH leaving China, has VI This Day CEASED to Sign our Firm per Procuration. We have authorized Mr. ERNST GOETZ to Sign the Name of our Firm per Procurs-

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1893.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP between SydenHAM MOUTRIE and WALTER GEORGE ROELS son carrying on Business under the Style of MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & Co., at Shanghai, Kobe, Yukohamaand Hongkong, was DISSOLVED on the 31st day of December last. The Business at Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama will be carried on by SYDENBAM MOUTRIE under the Style of MOUTRIE & Co., and the Business at Hongkong will be carried on by WALTER GEORGE ROBINSON under the Style of W. ROBINSON & Co.

SYDENHAM MOUTRIE. W. ROBINSON.

Hongkong, February 14, 1893.

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP OXUS. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNACES

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex Steamships Manche and Cambodge. from Havre or Steamship Manche, and from Bordeaux ex Steamship Frederic Morel in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored at their isk at the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHAR & GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS, at Kowloon, whence delivery may book-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless Intimation is received from the Consigners before 10 a.m. To-DAY (Friday), the 24th Instant, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-

pay, the 2nd March, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in the me on or before THUBBBAY, the 2nd March, or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined

on THURSDAY, the 2nd March, at 3 p.m. No Fire Lasurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPKAUX. Agent.

Hongkeug, February 24, 1893, MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP MACDUFF, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

formed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of and Freight, apply to the HONGHONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND Godown Co., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 2 p.m. To-DAY.

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd Prox. will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 3rd Proximo, or they will not be re-

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods March. are to be left in the Godowns, where they No Fire Insurance has been effected: Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, February 24, 1893.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions from Surgeon-Colonel H. F. PATERSON, to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY.

the 27th February, 1893, at 2.30 p.m., at his Residence, No. 4, Queen's Garden,-BUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :-

TAPESTRY-COVERED OTTOMAN and EAST CHAIRS, MARBLE-TOP ROUND TABLE, CHIM-NEW GLASS, PICTURES and ORNAMENTS. CARPETS and RUGS. DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD WITH GLASS Double and SINGLE WARDEOBES. DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BEDSTEADS. CHEST OF DRAWERS, BUREAU with GLARS,

DRESSING TABLE and MARRIE-TOF WASH-ONE COTTAGE PIANO, by Rosen-ONE COOKING RANGE.

SUNDRY PLANTS in Pors. &0 , &0 . Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE, --- As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 24, 1893.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship

above Ports on TUESDAY, the 28th Inst. at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, February 22, 1893.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship J. E. Williams, Com-

patched an above on WEDNESDAY, the The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabins are situated forward of the Engines. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire royage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, February 6, 1693.

THE CHINA MUTUAL STRAM -NAVIGATION COMPANY, LEMITED.

FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL The Co.'s Steamship G. L. Castle, Comm'der, will be despatched as above on or about the 3rd of March.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, February 18; 1893.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship West, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about FRIDAY, the 3rd Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. . (Under Mail Contract with the AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT).

Hongkong, February 21, 1893.

. Agents.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, VENICE, FIUME AND TRIESTE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL- the 4th March, at Noon. CUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF. RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.)

Captain Nicholicu, will be despached as above on the 8th Proximo, at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in- 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage

The Co,'s Steamship

quick despatch. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. No Claims will be admitted after the FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL

DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, February 24, 1893.

The Steamship Glenavon. Capt. A. J. Jacoss, will be despatched as above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 22nd

This Steamer has superior Accommodawill be examined on the 3rd Prox., at 3 p.m. | tion for Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., 259 | Hangkong, February 21, 1893.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Shipping.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Steamers.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

STEAM FOR HOLHOW & HAIPHONG (Taking Passengers and Cargo for TOURAND & QUINHOND The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong, Captain GALLETTI, will leave for the above Ports

For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, February 23, 1898. 356

on SUNDAY, the 26th Instant, at Noon.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co. Steamship Captain M. DE HORNE, will have quick despatch for the above

Port after her arrival here with the outward Mail. For Freight or Passage, apply to H. H. JOSEPH.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 20, 1893.

STEAM TO LONDON (DIRECT.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Captain P. W. Cast.

will leave for the above place at Noon on

MONDAY, the 27th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to H. H. JOSEPH. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, February 21, 1893. be despatched for the GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR SAMARANG & SOURABAYA. The Steamship

Capt. J. Fesgusson, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 24, 1893,

UNION LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

Florida. Captain Young, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 27th Instanti For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN & Co., Hongkong, February 18, 1893.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers. if sufficient inducement offers.) (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER. DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON,

LIVERPOOL AND BREMEN.) The Steamship Capt. TH. HILDEREARDT, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 28th Inst. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers

and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

For Freight or Pessage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.. Hongkong, February 20, 1893.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA PLA NAGA: SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.

H. H. JOSEPH.

Steamship
Ravenna,
Capt. G. W. F. BROWNE, B.N.E. will leave for the above places on FRIDAY, the 3rd March, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 24, 1893. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY

(Calling at COLOMBO, if sufficient inducement offers.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Capt. E. P. Bishor, will leave for the above places on SATURDAY.

For Freight, apply to H. H. JOSEPH, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, February 24, 1893. Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 100 A.I. British Ship Celtic Ohief. Owen, Master, willload here for the above Port, and will have

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, February 20, 1893.



ALDBECK, MACGREGOR & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants

. 13, Queen's Road. Hongkong, August 18, 1891;

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IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old Green Capsule 8 B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule 10 C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule 12 AMERICAN WHISKY. Genuine Bourbon Whisky, fine old, Red Capsule,

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HONGKONG, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1893 TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL."] (Via Southern Line.)

THE ORANGE PARTY AND THE HOME RULE BILL SINGAPORE, February 23 The Orange Association has issued manifesto demanding either union with Great Britain or freedom to direct their own course. It declares they will resist to the death any attempt to impose Mr

Ulater has convened a great meeting to be held at Belfast on the 2nd of March.

Gladstone's bill.

BUSINESS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

Mr Labouchere's bill to provide for the payment of members of Parliament has been read the first time. The Railway Servants' Eight Hours bill and the bill making workmen's trains compulsory have been read a second time.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL DUTWARD BOUND :- Iser. Boynton, Jan. Strathleven, 27; Radnorshire. Caps Camino, 31; Glenogle, Chingwo, Feb. 4; Bombay, Riversdale, Energia, 7; Guernsey, 10; Agamemnon, Natal, Kriemhild, 14; Oanfa, Ben. larig, 17; Canton, Sachsen, Imshowen Head, Endeavour, 21.

DHEWARD BOUND :- Ethiope, Jan. 30 : Glenesk, Feb. 4; Glenshiel, 7; Pakling, Allonower, 10 ; Java, 14 ; Dardanus, Melbourns, Prometheus, 17. The P. & O. s. s. Carthage, with the Enc. LISH MAIL of Jan, 27, left Singapore on

Tuesday, the 21st inst, at 1 p.m., and may be expected here at 4 p.m. on Sunday, the 26th inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Dec. 22. The R. M. S. Empress of Japan, from Vancouver, left Yukohama for Hongkong, via Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai on Thursday, Feb. 23, at 11 a.m. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamship China, with mails, &c., lest San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu and Yokohama, on Fab. 14.

The Northern Pacific steamer Victoria left Victoria, B.O., on Fab. 22, for Japan and Hongkouz.

The O. & O. s. s. Belgio, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu and Yokohama on Feb. 23.

The O. S. S. Co.'s s. s. Myrmiden left Singapore on Feb. 20, and may be expected here on or about Feb. 27. The s. s. Kutsang, from Calcutta and Straits for this port, left Singapore on

Fab. 22, and may be expected here on or about Feb. 28. The D. D. R. s. s. Daphne, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on Feb. 22.

and may be expected here on or about March 2. The N. G. I. s. s. Bormida, from Bombay

left Singapore for this port on Feb. 24. and may be expected here on or about The P. & O. s. s. Nizam left Bombay for

this port on Feb. 16. B St. Estephe, Red Capsule 4.50 5.00 | The P. and O. s.s. Bembay left Bumbay for this port on Feb. 21.

ORDER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATREDRAL - 2ND SUNDAY IN LENT. Matins :- Venite, Reinagle ; Paulms, Baker &c.; To Doum, Stainer 1 . C : Benedictus, Foster ; Anthem, Turn Thy face from my sins; Litany; Hymn,

94 : Offertory Hymn, 80. Evensong :- Paalms, Croft, L'ttleton, Dupuis & Barnby | Magni cat, Hervey; N no Dim tt z, Hopki a; Hyuns,

198, 258; The story of the Cross. THE U. S. gusboat Alert arrived to-day from Canton.

THERE will be a Celebration if Holy Communion in the Prok Church on Sunday at

Tue O. & O. Co.'s s.s. Beigie, with mails 1.40 &c., left San Francisco for this port, wid

Hundiniu and Yokohama, on the 23rd inst THE Silk ex the C. P. R. a. a. Empress of

China was delivered in New York on the 24th inst., 20 days from Yokohama

THE P. & O. S. N. Company's s. s. Bombay left Bombay for this port on the 21s

THE N. G. I. Steamer Bormida, from Bombay, left Singapore for this port yesterday, and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 3rd March.

A CAPITAL Electro-type of the New Statue of Her Majesty the Queau, the Jubiles Very Old Scotch Whisky 10.00 1.00 Memorial by the people of Hongkong, is at present on view in Messrs W. Powell and

0.75 Co's Store. 1.00 THE following Telegram has been received this morning by the Agent of the New Imuris Mines from Mesers J. Whittall and Co., London :- London, 24th February, 1893.-The Board of Directors have re-

solved (to) liquidate. A TRIEGRAM has been received in Macso to Minister of Marine and Colonies (Ferreits vacates his office with the fallen Ministry. for Macao during his term of office, notwithstanding the great expectations which-

4,50 0.40 the effect that the Dias Ferreira Ministry in Liabon has resigned, after a little over a C Fine A. V. H. Geneva..... 5.25 0.50 year of office. This would imply that the measures of the Ferreira Ministry have failed 1.00 to place the finances on a solid basis. The d'Amaral, son of the Governor of that name who was killed at Macao) of course . No regret seems to be felt over that circumatance, as the ex-Minister did nothing [108 he raised,

Bitters, &c.

dies' club in the West End of London have struck out a new idea. The members have a leading item, and a vest and tie are of the minor items. The striking feature, however, is the awallow-tail, which they reproduce in an interesting variety of materials. One lady has already appeared in a violet velvet one worked in gold. So far the fair clubbieta doubt, that knee-breeches and tights would perhaps too nearly suggest the amenities of

WE (Daily Necs) understand it has been finally decided that the new evening paper to shall be called the Westminster Gazette. The weekly paper in connection with it will be named the Westminster Budget. The first in the paddook, but Black Pearl, who appear on the day that Perliament met, the Slat nit. Mr Gould will be the Parliamentary caricaturist. The paper will ultimately be produced in much the same form as the present Pall Mail Gazette, but as the premises and machinery cannot be ready by the date named, it will be produced was good time. Indeed, it has only twice at first in temporary premises, and in a different form from that which it is intended ultimately to present,

WE have (mays the Daily Telegraph) good news for lovers of genuinely comic opera, Many months ago it was known that the meeting. The new Stand was undoubtedly further pollaboration of Mr W. S. Gilbert and Sir Authur Suilivan had become merely a question of time and convenience. librettist and a composer so obviously, and in such a special sense, the complement of each other were almost bound to unite again, as by a process in the natural order of things. The conjunction is now a matter settled, and by Inspector Bremner. the musical public are warranted in expecting another Gilbert Sullivan opera at the Savoy in the course of next autumn. We Gilbert has outlined the plet of his new work, and that, in a few days time, he will join Sir Arthur Sullivan at Monte Carlo for | Grand Marce. Heroic Rullerton. | Lanceze King of the Revels .. Williams. the purpose of settling details. Upon this Parrasia. satisfaction of many hopes there will be congratulations all round.

HONGKONG RACES, 1893

Stewards :- His Excellency Sir William Robinson, K.C.M.G.; His Excellency Vice-Admiral the Hon. Sir E. R. Fromantle, K.C.B.; His Excellency Major. races :-General Digby Barker, O.B.; Commodore Bury Palliser; Colonel Macdonell, R.A. Colonel Mulloy, R.E.; Lieut.-Colonel Ravenhill, Shropshire Regiment; Lieut .-Colonel, Barrow, Hongkong Regiment The Hon. C. P. Chater; The Hon. T. H. Whitehead : The Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving ; H. Hoppius, Esq.; J. Grant, Esq.; R. M. Gray, Esq.; M. Grote, Esq.; J. D. Humphreys, Esq.; J. McLeavy Brown, Esq.; F. de Bovis, Esq.

Clerk of Scales :- H. Hoppius, Esq. Judge :- The Hon. C. P. Chator. Starter :- M. Grote, Esq. 2nd Starter :- J. Armstrong, Esq. Hon. Treasurer :- H. E. R. Hunter,

Clerk of the Course : - T. F. Hough, Esq.

Tuind DAY.

Saturday, 25th February, 1893. The good luck, so far as weather was concerned, which attended the meeting on the two previous days, deserted it to-day, and when the racing opened in a weather improved, and after tiffin the atmosphere had cleared, though the air was still too cold for comfort. The attendance was not so large as yesterday. His Excel-

the start and stayed till the close. If the weather was sourcely so favourable it must be confessed that the racing was far more interesting than on Thursday and Friday. An indication of the day's sport was given in the very first race. Mr May on Assyrian, who was never looked upon to have the ghost of a chance, upset the fancy of the tipsters-Varuna-by romping in an basy first, and securing the Civil Service Police, a thoroughly popular viotory, for secs. which Mr May was heartily cheered. This was one more indication of the incapacity of Varuna to finish well. Early this week he went off somewhat, else he would most certainly have brought his owner some trophy. He was wearing plates in this race which may have partially accounted for his failure. For the Challenge Cup, Homeguard repeated his victory of 1890, nothing in the race giving him much trouble. The time was 5 seconds better than that in which Hero won last year. A second surprise was provided in the Ludies' Purse. Black Pearl was considered a good thing. So also was Merrythought. But to the surprise of all Mr Taylor's Freigraf, 11.1, (Mr. Taylor) 0 the knowing ones, Primrose, who was ridden in good style by Mr Taylor, came sailing in 1890, was third in 1891, and second along in a most confident manner and last year, was looked upon at a correspond what account manner and tainty, and in the long run, though anatched what seemed a certain victory his chances looked in danger for a from Merrythought almost on the post time, from Booril, the confidence re-After the race an adjournment was made to the Grand Stand, where the Talisman was first to forge ahead, but he "ladies had congregated to await the result. was speedily displaced by Bouril, to whom Miss Parkes presented the silver stirrup and purse to the successful jookey congratulat- Stand was reached for the second time, ing him on behalf of the ladies of Hong. Homequard was leading by a head from light, Liberty, and Varnua. Time-2 kong upon his well-merited victory. Mr side a few yards behind. At the three-Taylor made quite a little speech in reply- quarter post, Frei,raf was pulled up and a speech, by the bye, which was almost took a short cut home, and at the Bridge whispered across a bonquet to Miss Parkes, man was whipped. At the mile-and-quarand wound up by presenting that lady with ter post Homeguard was still leading from the bounnet. Cheers were then given for the ladies and Mr Taylor. In the race for the in pursuit of the favourite, but was never Hongkong Stakes, Varana partially atoned shie to get on level terms, and Homeguard for his former failures. Riding him hard won in a common canter ; Taliman beaten to a determined finish, Mr Hart-Buck got him well in front of Steadfast who had beaten III .- The Ladies' Purse, for all China him so unexpectedly in the German Cap on Friday. Amother grand finish took place over the Parace Cup, which, went, after a hard struggle with Tinekeeper, to Mr John Peel's stable, Vagrant being the successful pony | and the Nil Desperandum Stakes Mr John Peel's Merrythought, 11.8,.... went to the same owner with his subscription griffin Juniper. It was pretty rough Mr Derick-Hunter's Khedire, 11.8,..... on Varuna to haul him out again in the

trophy, but his stable companion bested

propos of "original" dress a certain him and led from start to finish. was indicated in these columns yesteradopted a novel and ingenious uniform for day; Black Pearl followed up his ausevening wear. A very large shirt front is cosses in the Derby and Tai Yenk Fong Cup by carrying off the premier honour of the meeting in the Champion Stakes. The win was a most popular one and both the jookey and Mr Hoppius came in for hearty conhave refrained from trousers, thinking, no gratulations, and when the day's racing was concluded excited cheers could still be heard from German throats in the vicinity of the gullant black's stable. It had been said that Homeguard was the only thoroughbe carried on for Mr Newnes by Mr Cook going racer in the meeting, and both he and and other members of the Pall Mall Gazette Majestic (who had been most carefully number of the Westminster Gazette was to a wonderfully good animal for a griffin, Pearl. Time-I min. 50f secs. falsified all the statements of the knowing once by making backs of his opponents. The time was 3.141, or 81 sees. better than Hero's time last year. This been beaten-by Zephyr in 1891 (3,131) and Orlando in 1889 (4, 121).

It remains only to add that the arrangements were admirable all through the race a great acquisition, and it has been so designed as to facilitate the officials.

The police who kept the approaches to the Course clear were under the command of Chief Inspector Mathieson, assisted

Under the able leadership of Bandmaster Murphy the band of the Shrepahire Rehave the best authority for stating that Mr | giment discoursed awest music during the afternoon. Appended is the programme :-

SELECTION Dorothy Cellier.
VALUE VALUE Beauty and the Beast J. Orange. Avant lo Bal The Youmen of the | Sir. A. Sullivan,

Polel JALUF The Noisy Johnnie . Pritchard. The fullowing were the results of the

Mr J. D. Humphroys' Varuna, 11.5, ... (Mr Har. Buck) 2 Mr John Peel's Juniper, 10.12, Mr Hart Buck's Mervyn, 10.6, Mr Derick-Hunter's Hoax, 11.1,

Mr Taylor's Free Trade, 10.12, Mr White's Amenable, 11:1,

(Mr Sassoon)

Some delay was occasioned by the absouce of Mr Sassuon. When a start was V .- The Parses Cur, presented, for China made at last Colonist led off nearest the rail, with Varuna, the favourite, and Home pressing him hard. At the Bridge the order of thick mist the prospects looked anything the first three was unchanged, but Varuna Mr John Peel's Vagrant, 10.12, but encouraging. As the day wore on the in the next furlong went past Colonist, attended by Hour. The lenders rode neck Mr Derick-Hunter's Timekeeper, 10.9,... and neck up the hill, and Houx fell away giving place to Colonist and Free Trade. Mr Mr Taylor's Reciprocation, 10.9, Hough was working Juniperforward amongst the leaders, and he was the closest attendant Mr Buxey's Boldheart, 11.1, to Faruna going past the Village, with lency the Governor, was on the ground at Colonist also well up. These appeared to Mr May's Tom Tit, 10.7, (Mr May) 0 be the only three in the race at this point, when, to the astonishment of the spectators, Mr May brought Assyrian along close to the rail and a magnificent race ensued to the winning post. Thirty or forty yards from the post Assyrian and Varuna were running neck and neck, but in the last few strides the former got; his head in front and won a grand race by a short head; same distance between Varuna and Juniver. Colonist close up. This win upset all oulculations and a good deal of money changed hands over it. It was rather appropriate procation and Boldheart sailed past into that the Civil Service Cup should be won Cup for the Acting-Superintendent of by one in the service. Time-2 mins, 14

> IL.—The CHALLENGE COP, value guineas, for China ponient to be two years consecutively by a pony of ponies the bund fide property of the (forced) \$5, but optional to subscription griffins of this season, 1892-93; first pony to receive 70 per cent.; second, 20 entrance money. One mile and three-

Mr Buxey's Homegward, 11.1, Mr Trebau's Bowril, 11.1, (Mr Sassoon) 2 Mr John Peel's Talisman, 11.1,...... (Mr Hough) 3 Mr John Peel's Solace, 11.1,

For this event, Homeguard, -who won posed in him was found to be justified. The five were got off to a good start, Homeyward ran second, with Freigraf already beginning to tail off. When the Borril, who was passed by Talisman. Coming round again at the Village Bouril went off. Time-3 mine 53 secs.

ponies; weight for inches; all ponies not subscription griffing that have been placed 3 lbs. extra ; previous non-starters at this meeting 12 lbs. extra ; winners, not subscription griffins, 7 lbs. extra ; entrance \$5. Seven furlongs.

Mr. Casa Primeross. 11.4, ... (Mr Taylor) 1 Mr Darius Perpoise, 11.1, (Mr Master) 3 too good for Guardsman. Parmesan (Mr Midwood) Garrison Cop. He was never in the race. Mr Boyd's Duncraggan, 11.1,..... Torchlight was favourite for this handsome Mr Heinrich's Black Pearl, 11.8,...... (Mr Marshall)

As on the first day, Khedies caused at VIII .- The Champion Stanes, for all a good deal of trouble to Mr Grote, who rot the field off after all to a birly good start. Primrose, Merrythought (the favourite), and Black Pearl led sway in the order named, and were joined by Porpoise at the Upon Merrythought assuming the lead, Black Pearl fell away, and had to be worked hard not to lose more ground. Coming round the bend, Printross go his mose in front of Merrithought, but the supporters of the pony did not think such a rank outsider would cause serious trouble. However, he maintained his advantage, and entered the straight with slight lead. Mr Hough now called upon his puny to extend himself, but it was to no purpose, and Mr Cass pony got home first by half a length after a gran 1 race. Black Pearl and Porpoise had nursed for this event) were more in favour as stiff a race for third place, but Porpoise managed to dispose of the De by winner by a head, Khedire was close to Blad

> IV .- Honekong STAKES, a forced entry of \$5 for all aubscription griffing of this ses son, 1892-93; first pony to receive 70 per cent, of the outrance money and \$100 added; second pony 30 per cont : weigh for inches; winner of Gorman and/or Tai Youk Fong Cups 10 lbs. extra ; winners of any other 5 lbs. extra. One mile

Mr J. D. Humphreys' Varana, 11 3, ... (Mr Hart-Buck) Mr Dorick-Hunter's Steadfast, 11.8..... (Mr Midwood) Mr John Peel's Onyr, 11.1, (Mr Hough) Mr Kesteven's Assyrian, 11.00.

(Mr May)

Mr Hart Buck's Mercyn, 10.6 (Mr Crawford) Mr Cruickshank's Switchback, 11.1 (Mr Cruickshank) Mr White's Amenable, 11.1, (Mr. Master)

MajorF. W. Robinson's Faugh-a-Ballagh 11.4 (Capt. Moore) 0 Mr Taylor's Free Trade, 10.12 (Mr Taylor) This was a most extraordinary race. On

he strength of his previous performances Mr Derick Hunter's Choice, 10,12, Steadfast was made a warm favourito, but it is doubtful whether so much confidence Mr Cruickshank's Switchback, 11.1,..... was justified with ponies like Varuna, 45syrian and Amenable against him. When Mr Derick-Hunter's Hoax, 11.1, the flag fell all got off together with the excoption of Assyrian, who was left at the Major F. W. Robinson's Paugh-apost. Amenable was leading from Steadfust and Faugh a-Ballagh, when Assyrian Mr Quintet's Fiction, 10,12. I .- The Civil SERVICE PURSE, presented came up with a tramendous rush, passed for subscription griffins of this season, the field and assumed a lead of twenty Mr Jay's Motor, 10.12, (Mr Gedge) 0 forward to new account. winners, 7 lbs. extra; ponalties ac- gate, where he suddenly shut up cumulative; entrance \$5, second pony to and allowed all the others to pass him. | Capt. Thomas' Stonehenge, 10.12,...... receive half the entrance money. One From this point Steadfast showed the way, attended by Free Trade. Several changes Mr John Peel's Onyx, 11.1. (Mr May) 0 T. E. Davies, who is absent from the Colony. Mr Kesteven's Assyrian, 10.9, (Mr May) 1 took place going up the hill and past the Mr Taylor's Free Trade, 10.12, village. On cutoring the straight Varuna, who was admirably ridden, made an effort to atone for his previous failure. He held (Mr Hough) 3 a nice place near the rail, white Steadfast. Mr Burey's Colonist, 11.4, (Mr Master) 0 the favourite and his most formidable op-Mr Quintet's Fiction, 10.12, (Mr Coutts) 0 ponent came along at a spanking pace in the centre of the course. Onyx; who had been (Mr Crawford) 0 kept modestly in the crowd though in good position, also made a strong bid for (Mr Midwood), 0 | brat honours, but failed to reach the other | secs. two, Varuna finishing a punishing race a (Mr Taylor) O clear length ahead of Steadfast, Time-3 mins. 27 secs.

> ponies; second pony to receive \$50; weight for inches ; entrance \$10. From the black rock twice round and in.

(Mr Midwood) 2

Upon the fall of the flag Reciprocation umped off with a slight advantage, all the others, except Tom Tit, who made a stern chase of it from first to last, being held in, Mr Taylor's representative was allowed to keep the lead right| round the course, the order past the Stand for the second time heing Reciprocation, Boltheart, Timekeeper, Vagrant. At the Bridge, Vagrant was given head and at once shot past the others. Mr Maclean had to use the whip on Recithe second place. While all eyes were fixed on these three Timekeeper shot shead and held the lead for a few minutes. Vegrant again led, but once more Timekeeper shot ahead and led into the straight and looked all over a winner when Mr Hough applied the whip rather vigorously to the favourite, who, after a spanking race, landed a popular victory by half-nsame owner; weight for inches; entrance | length for Mr Peel's stable. Reciprocation a bad third. Time-5 mins. 8 sees.

per cent.; and third, 10 per cent. of VI - The Gangison Cur, presented by the officers of the garrison, for China ponies bond fide griffine at date of ontry! weight for inches; previous winners at this mosting ? lbs. extra ; penalties accumulative ! entrance \$10; subscription griffins of this ession, 1892-93, allowed 7 lbs. From two-mile post once round and in.

Mr Buxey's Flashlight, 11.1,.... (Mr Crawford) Mr Buxey's Torchlight, 10.12..... (Mr Master) 2 Mr John Peel's Liberty, 10.12 (Mr Hough) Mr J. D. Humphreys' Varuna, 11.5,... (Mr Hart Buck) 0

Mr Buxey declared 'best to win' with his pair ; but Terchlight was slightly more in favour, carrying as he did less weight than Flashlight or Varuna. After a'l it turned out a most hollow victory for Finshlight, after a tame race. The order from start to finish was Flashlight, Torch-

VII -The Consolation Stakes, for all beaten China ponies at this meeting; weight for inches; entrance \$5, with \$100 added for the first peny; second peny to receive \$50. Once round. Mr Derick-Hunter's Timekeeper, 10.9 ...

Mr Midwood) Mr Boyd's Dunson, 11.1 (Mr Marshall) Mr Willis' Parmesan, 11.1 (Mr Taylor) Mr John Peel's Guardeman, 10.12..... (Mr Hough) Mr White's Viper, 11.4 (Mr Hart-Buck) Mr Buxey's Torchlight, 10.12 (Mr Crawford) Mr Henry's Thunderbolt, 10.12.....

(Mr Sassoon) Me Darius' Porpoise, 10,12 (Mr Master) Guardsman went off with a short lead from Duncon and Porpoise, the latter of whom showed the way up the hill at a pace | That the world is now smaller than it was, chipped in going down the hill, and Timekeeper rushed up at the Village, and walking away from the others won by two lengths, Parmesan and Dunson deadheated for the second place. Time-1 min. 55% secu.

China nonics winners at this meeting suly, a forced entry; weight for inches; entrance \$20; winners of two races, \$30; of three or more races, \$50. One mile and a half.

Mr Heinrich's Black Pearl, 11.1,..... (Mr Midwood) Mr Buxey's Homeguard, 11.1, (Mr Master) Mr 'rebau's Bovril, 11.1. (Mr Maclean) Mr John Peel's Merrythought, 11.1, ... (Mr Hough) Mr Buxoy's Islander, 10.9,

(Mr Crawford) Mr John Peel's Takisman, 11.1, (Mr Hart-Buck) Mr Cass' Primrose, 11.1,....(Mr Taylor) Mr Derick-Hunter's Steudfast, 10.12, ... (Mr Marshall)

Mr Trebau's Majestie, 11.7, (Mr Sassoon) Messra Buxey, Peel, and Trebau declared best to win."

This was one of the finest races of the

meeting. Mr. Trebau's couple, who were mounted at the starting point, showed the way, Mr Sassoon on Majestic making the pace very hot. At the village Primress crept up in astonishing form and brought the crowd along with him. Mojestic managed to keep his lead to the Plantation, where Homequard challenged. As they neared the straight all the riders got on as much work as they could, Merrythought and Primross together with Mr Treban's couple being almost abreast. Black Pearl, who had been well in the rear all through, improved his position at the Bend, and coming down the straight at a terrific pace caught up the others in grand style, and finished more then a length in front of Homequard. Berril was a bad third. Time-3 mins. 141 socs.

IX .- The NIL DESPERANDUM STAKES, for all beaten subscription griffice of this added for the first pony; second pony to the 2nd March, prox :receive \$50; weight for inches. Half a

Mr John Peel's Juniper, 10,12, Mr Buxny's Colonist, 11.4, (Mr Master) 2 (Mr Cruicksbank). (Mr Marahall)

(Mr Hart-Buck) 0

(Mr Crawford) 0 (Mr Taylor) 0 for re-election.

Colonist and Juniper had the best of a good start, and the race was really between these two, Amenable, who had been tipped for the last event, never having a ook in. A good finish ended in a win for Juniper, Colonist second, and Choice third head in front of Hour. Time-1 min. 2

FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That old fogies are supposed to live much in the past, and the disappearance of the old Grand Stand at the Race-course Sundry Debtors, is a temptation to rake up old memories.

That the number of residents who can recall thirty years of racing history in days of Exeter, Sir William, Haddington. North Australian and Dundee are almost

That all the same there were giants on the turf in those days of real horse-racing, although I admit much sport and pleasure may still be realised from the performnaces of the ponies as seen from the new Grand Stand.

That one misses (I again speak as an old fogey) old Sir Brooke, Pollard, Coxon, Pomeroy, Magaine, Johanie Dodd, and may another name familiar in the ancient annals of Dent and Jardine days; and later on, such meetings were made all the livelier for the presence of old Ryria, the genial Jackson, the sturdy John Bell Irving (Prince of Sports), and the gallant By Gain on Working, tong 'Kurnel,'

That all the same the Race Meeting this month has been less funereal than it was last year, which may be accepted as sign that the long-protracted depression is at last beginning to pass away.

That the new Grand Stand was much appreciated, and no doubt will be more so when the above Statements are in accordance finished and when the enclosure is nicely | there with.

That Sir William Robinson said all that was necessary at the opening ceremony, and the Governor is probably at his best when he mingles with residents on this common ground of sport.

That it is a pity the bungle was made at the private meeting of Council the other day, and I cannot quite acquit the Unofficial Members for giving countsuance to such a proceeding.

Colonial Secretary with any desire show consideration for public opinion, or the Governor, or some one, should have

That surely the Treasury Defaloations are feeling of the community is already

That it must be conceded the Governor agted wisely in appointing the Commission at that it might have been larger and strong. er with advantage.

That the story of the capture of the hunted man Alves is pathetic enough, whatever may be thought of the fugitive's deluga. and it becomes more difficult than ever for any familiar figure to escape from justice; perhaps it is even more difficult for any one to escape, from himself under auch circumstancer,

That the pity is, with all the red-taps sup posed to be expended in our Government departments, the manufacture of and тівету весть во окау.

That the more one hears about this end business, the more inexplicable the whole affair becomes.

That it is true your account of the replies given by the Government with olaned doors' has not been contradicted or corrected, but pending the explanation be given in the Supreme Court, by the Commission, or in Legislative Council, the matter as it presents itself to my mind is of far too serious a nature for all concerned to discuss off-hand.

That the Victoria Home and Orphanage work in a most quiet and unassuming

That the kindly word given to it by the Registrar General appears to be well disguise.

that the remarks made by Lady Robinson were, as usual, in excellent taste and were highly appropriate, while the support which she promised to the institution will go far to secure its permanent pros-That the reports of several of the local Com-

panies would seem to indicate, more even Speaker is engaged to be married? than the Bace Meeting, that the clouds have really began ' to roll by.'

THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING CO. LIMITED. The following is the Report for presentation to the Shareholders at the Eleventh

season, 1892-93; entrance \$5, with \$50 | Ordinary Annual Meeting, to be held on

The General Agents beg to submit to hastily summoned.) Shareholders their Report and a statement of accounts for the year ended 31st December.

The Refinery was inactive for three months owing to the prohibitory prices of Raw Sugars, but operations for the remainder of the year give a satisfactory result as two years. O compared with the previous year's working, the net earnings amounting to \$42,218.72. O From this, however, there must be deducted the Debit balance of 1891-281,481.91-Ballagh, 11.4, (Capt. Moore). 0 thus leaving at credit of Profit and Loss \$10,787.81; which sum the General Agents 0 and Consulting Committee propose to carry

Consulting Committee .- The Consulting Committee now consists of Messra. I Gillies and J. S. Lapraik, the latter having been invited to take the seat vacated by Mr Mr Gillies and Mr Lapraik offer themselves

Auditor. The Accounts have been audited by Mr T. Arnold, who also offers himself for re-election. CAPITAL ACCOUNT .- 31st DECEMBER, 1892.

Property Account, \$732,186.56 (Extension Ao-741,342,43 Steam-Launch Precursor, Refined Sugar,

Coul, Charcoal, Stores, Matbage, &di, \$892,103.26

rdipe, Matheson & Co.'s Advauce Account Jardine, Matheson & Co.'s Current Account, Accounts payable.

Profit and Loss Account, PROPIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

To Balance from last year.... To Interest, To Remuneration to Consulting Committee to General Agents' and Manila Agente' Commission, To Auditor's Fee, Ao Balance,

\$68,081.85 By Exchange,

Hongkong, 20th February, 1893. JARDINE, MATRESON & Co., General Aments I have examined the Books and Vouchers of the Company, and the Returns received from the Manila Agents, and cortify that

THOS. ARNOLD, Auditor.

SMOKELESS COMBUSTION OF COAL

According to the Berlin correspondent of the Standard, the problem of the smokeless combustion of coal seems at last to be solved by a newly-patented process which is excit ing immense sensation in Germany. The patent has been taken out by a company which has already made contracts with number of large commercial and industrial concerns among others, with the North German Lloyd, the Hamburg-American Packet Company, Schiohau, and the Vulcan That residents do not now credit the its new system of firing. In the construction of their new firing apparatus the to bring with them on the next occasion -to regard the finer instincts which belong longer burned in lumps, but is reduced to which the House was gradually cleared by to a right-minded public servant; but powder by means of the ordinary centrifu- the officials.) gal mills. The new system, which is called . automatic and smokeless coal-dust firing, bousekeeper was always finding hairpins on prevented the blunder from being com- is extremely simple. At the place where the floor, hitherto the coal was introduced into the fire-grate-that is to say, at the furnace door, there is a movable pear-shaped bad enough in all conscience, and the apparatus, consisting principally of a firechamber lined with fire-brick. One aperture of this hollow pear opens, in the direcsufficiently strong, to have made at tion of the axis of the boiler, into the mouth supple, healthy, comfortable. Sulpholine Soap, of the hitherto employed furnace. from 6d. Tablets. Everywhere, which the fire-grates, fire bridges, &c., have been removed. The opposite sporture of ches, Redness, Edzems, Acne, Disfigurements, the hollow pear is intended to admit a cur- Boughness and Scart, &c., leaving a clear, spotonce, although somehow a feeling exists rent of air. By means of an ingenious less Skin and beautiful Complexion. Sulpholine automatic contrivance, coal dust, supplied is a necessity for the Skin, especially in hot through a funnel placed above the current dimetes. Made in London. Sold everywhere of air, is continually conveyed into the our. in Shilling Bottles. rent of air, and thence into the fire-tham- To THE DEAY. Herbert Clifton's new system ber, where it is immediately brought into of completely caring all forms of Deafness, Head BAROMETER- CA.M. ... SU.17 combustion by means of the small fire which Noises, &c., is being recommended all over is placed there. When this has once taken the world. Numerous unsolicited testimonials. place the coal-dust conveyed by the current of air continues to burn in one regular. intense fame. The current of air which brings the coal-dust into the apparatus is regulated so as merely to convey the dust the terrible noises in head have not appeared thither, whereas the supply of air neces- again.' Pemphlet with full advice post free. eary for combustion is sent into the zone of H. Chitton, 51, Upper Kennington Lane, Loncombilation at right angles and in radiating lon,

jets. By this arrangement the coal-dust and the air in the zone of combustion are intimately and thoroughly mixed, while the Marquis D'AngrognaMr and Mrs Lufkin speed of the current which introduces the coal-dust is diminished.

A DRAMA OF TO-MORROW. Lady Florence Dixie has made an excellent suggestion. She assures the world that a large number of women, unable to Mr W. Bullard vote any other way, have gone to the pol- Capt. Butcher, o.s.p.Mr G. Mundt ing-booths in male attire, having previously Capt. Callaghan, R.R. Mrs Nicol and child become ratepayers by taking their bouses Mr F. A. Carl in a male name, and she suggests that Mr G. Chappell women, assuming male attire shall now put | Sig. Chiari up for Parliament as males, and enter the Capt, and Mrs CombeMiss Orner House in the garb of the less gentle sex. This new masquerade, it is hinted, has al- Mr J. Deen ready commenced. There was a woman once who so far deceived all Obristendom as to become Pope of Rome. There have been women who have followed the colours as ful acems to have been carrying on a good privates, and sailed the seas before the mast. There have been women hansom M. Gensburg cabmen. But until Lady Florence gave Mr T. Gitting the game away, nobody suspected that some of our worthy legislators were women in

> Scene_The House of Commons, The Speaker (to himself, nervously)-1 wonder why the hon, member for Bedford Park keeps his eyes so persistently fixed on me. Ever since my approaching marriage was announced he has eyed me so reproach- Mr C. Ingenahl

The Hon. Member for Bedford Park (to Mr A. R. KerkhoverMr and Mrs Warren his neighbour)—is it really true that the The Neighbour-O yes. I know the lady. Capt. Anderson

She is charming.

most distressing.

The Hon. Member for Bedford Park Mr A. L. Bagnall (sighing)-I hope he will be happy. I-I Mrs Bagnall O don't mind me! (Bursts into tears.) The Speaker (aghast) -The hon, member Mr John Bolton for Bedford Park is ill! (Several hon. Mr O. P. Bradley members surround the sobbing M.P., who Mr C. Brown gradually becomes hysterical and then Major Theo, Byxber Mrs Preston. faints, and is carried into an adjoining Mr W. F. Canning Misses Preston (2) room while medical assistance is procured. Capt. van Carbach A few minutes afterwards the Speaker is Mr F. Collins

The Speaker-What is the matter? The Doctor-Well-er-it's most extra- Mr N. Fago ordinary. The hop, member for Bedford Mr S. Faitas

The Speaker (horrified)-What! Impos. Mr Geo. M. Gaybolt Mr George Stewart sible | Why, he has sat in the House for Mr A. Hannan The Doctor-I assure you it is a fact, The Speaker-Dear me! Beally, this Mr Hermet

The Hon. Member for Bedford Park (wandering)-O I love him so-I love him The Speaker-Good gracious! Can it be P No-not The How. Member (opening his eyes,

The Speaker-Really, Sir-or, I beg your pardon, madam-I am shooked. The Hon. Member-Ah, do not spurn me. Hon. A. Ashley Cooperair A. Ross I could not help it. I knew I loved you Mr J. B. Coughtrie Mr F. Saunders last week, but it was only when your mar- Earl of Dysart andMr and Mrs W. J. riage was announced that my strength servant

shall never see me again. The Speaker-Under those wroumstances. perhaps, it will be better if-er-the mat- Mrs Baird and child Mr J. R. Joyce ter is never made public. The Hon. Member-If it is known I shall Mrs Blanchard die of shame. You have broken my heart; Mr J. K. Boulton

apara my life. The Speaker (his breast torn with con- Mr S. L Danby flicting emotions)-Yes; of course. As a Capt. N. Dodd gentleman and a man of honour I am bound | Mrs Dodd to be silent, and if the doctor-The Doctor-Professional stiquetts will Mrs Eaton

The Speaker-Then, farewell, madam; Mrs Eberlo Hongkong is now very small, and the Capital Account, 700,000.00 and if in this world we never meet again, Master Eberie believe me that you have my sincerest Mr G. Engel sympathy. (He returns to the House, blushing violently and with tears in his 120,580.12 eyes, and announces to the anxious House 10,735.38 that the hon, member has been sent home in a cab; and the debate is resumed.) An Hon, Member (suddenly) Hallo

there's a mouse on the floor! The Hon, Member for Leighton Blizzard -(jumping up on his seat and gathering Mr R. M. McHattie Mr A. Trant the skirt of his coat round him)-01010! The Speaker-Order ! order ! order ! The Hon, Member for Leighton Blizzard -I can't help it! Kill it, or I shall go out

The Speaker The hon, member's conduct is most disrespectful to the House; The Hon, Member for Leighton Blizzard-Kill it, it's coming this way. It might ron up my patticoata ! The House (rising to a man)-Eh? The Hon, Momber (turning pale-O what

have I said ! The Speaker (terribly agitated)-Sir, you are another woman! Several Members-What? The Hon. Member-O don't be cross with me But for that mouse you would never have known it.

The apeaker-Serjeant-at-Arms, remove The Hon, Member-O don't-don't! cannot walk acress the floor till that mouse is killed. The Speaker-Madam, you have no right

here! How dare you pretend to be a man and get elected? The Hon. Member-(nervously)-I'm not the only one. Why, the Junior Lord of the | On Paris-Admiralty is a lady! (To the Junior Lord) It's no good, my dear. You know you are

The Junior Lord-You minx! The Hun, Member-Don't call me. a. minz! (To the House) She's a widow with two children! (Upwar in the House, during which the members aye each other critically.) The Speaker-Gentlemen-or ladies, or whatever you are; you know best-under the circumstances which have come to my knowledge this evening, I shall adjourn the sitting until I have consulted the proper Works at Stettin-for the introduction of authorities as to what is to be done. In the On Shanghaimeantime it will be well for hon, members

The Speaker-Now I understand why the

(Curtain.)

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Exchange. Honorono, February 25, Hank, Wire. 4 months' sight. Documentary, 4 months sight, On demand. Credits, 4 months' sight, On Berlin-Demand,... On Now York-Credits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay-On demand. on Calcutta-On demand, ... 30 days' sight, private paper, patentees have departed from all the me-thods hitherto employed. The coal is no lost in the confusion which ensued, during Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 7.23 HONGKONG REGISTER. Previous On date at On date of daystap.m. 10 s.m. 4 p.m. 30,09 Barometer . 30.24 Temperature Humidity

Direction of) Force Highest open air temperature on the Miliand Hongkong Observatory, Feb. 23, 1600 Temperature. Honokong, February 25, 1893. (Taken at Messrs Falconer & Co.'s

THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... 56 4 P.M.... (Wet bulb) 9 a. M. 54 1 P.M. 55 Do. Maximum ... Do. Minimum over night 56

JAPAN REVISITED.

There are few more enterprising Magazines on either side of the Atlantic than the Cosmopolitan of New York, to which all seasons and in all weathers, there he was, we are indebted for the following illustra- sweeping the crossing and taking such gratuities tions from Sir Edwin Arnold's intoresting as were given him. Time were away, and he article on Japan :---

repose to find himself back again in Japan; him up at his lodgings. What a picture of and best of all, perhaps, when he happens to arrive in the company of the Japanese Wife and family he had none—never had. The spring. We brought the goddess up with poor old fellow was perishing of staryation, of us from Honolula, where she seems to find want. Some money was raised for his benefit a changeless refuge, along with the swal-lows and the gearlet hibiscus, until the squinox hide her steel home again to look equinox bids her steal home again to look one of the hospital physicians and a nuise. Seeafter the plum and the cherry blossoms in ing him clutch nervously at his pillow, the nurse, Dai Nippon.

intending visitor to this pleasant country In doing so the nurse's hand came in contact to come so early as the 21st of March, the with an object which he withdrew. It was a date when the steamship Beigic for a second time landed me on the shores of Japan. March, to speak strict wrnth, is one of the least agreeable months of the Japanese year-wild, windy, and winterly, although the plum trees will all be in blossom then, with the camelias and the yamabuki. Still, those who can come early in the season And he, there, dead of starvation, even more will lose much if they neglect their privi- than of age. Well, what of it? you say. The leges. They will not be able immediately to | wretched old man was better dead than alive. lay aside overcoats and warm undercloth. Quite so, but most buman events have a moral, ing, nor will they realise just at first that a lesson; about them, if we keep au eye out they are in Asia, and upon the same for it. parallel of latitude with Morocco and Port | What, for example, can we learn from the Said. They may observe, if so inclined, following facts?-One night about ten years a the interesting toils by which the rice fields a man whose name we can furnish, went to bed are prepared for their summer fertility; as usual, apparently in good health and spir ts.

A few hours later he lay unconscious on the pudding or a curry again without gratitude seized, suddenly, with a pain of such violence and respect towards the Asiatic labourer, that he was compelled to rise,—a pain in the the black mud, day after day, hooking the down on the spot where he had stood. His wife

ors, naturally hasten up to Tokyo, only eyes looked as if they were starting out of his eighteen miles distant, by a convenient head. bamboo groves, and plam and pear gardens whatever standard you measure hor. The ants, and covering nearly as much ground as London hereelf-within the Inner Circle.' It makes no metropolitan show to match these figures, and has no buildings of the smallest architectural interest or magnificence spart from the temples in the Shiba park, a few scattered specimens

imperial castle. catch the eye above the wilderness of tiles | doctor said there was something wrong with the and shingles, as far as edifices are concerned; with, now and then, the white gleam of now firewood, stretching far and wide in a bright patch amidst the full grey of old, weather-stained houses and dusty street fronts, to tell where the last great fire has burned a big hole in the inflammable

But nature has done much for Tokyo. She has given her not merely seven hills. as to ancient Rome, but seventy, which rise all round about the great sea march on which the city is principally built, redeeming its appearance with a handsome rolling border of rich foliage and lofty banks of residences, besides bestowing the two intraurban parks of Uono and Shiba, which are of pleasure or business, in different directions, that you learn what a huge and busy world of life and industry it is. There are over 3,300 temples and shrines in her streets and lames, of which ten out of eleven are Buddhist. There are thousands of bridges, large and small, for Tokyo is as full of rivers, and canals as Bangkok or Vanica. Tens of thousands of quaint, high prowed boats and barges go up and down this network of water. On their backs and in the open spaces are to be seen thronged and busy markets.

Why is it then, you ask yourself, that in this vast capital there prevails such peace and calm? Fresh from New York, from Chicago, fron San Francisco, the immense solitudes of the Pacific have scarcely succeeded in effacing from your tingling money not honestly gained; the stealthy, seducnerves and throbbing ears the rattle, and hurry, and clamour of modern American existence in the great centres of republican civilisation. What makes Tokyo so different? Why can you stroll along its endless streets, absorbed in fancies or general strength and vitality; the straggle for memories, without being recalled to vigilance by deafening uproar or by actual danger to life or limb? The answer lies are numerous, headaches, nervousness, failure of Nihombashi, with one or two other main appetite and side digestion, thus ensuring a logomotion will not be seen. The little two-wheeled 'ricksha,' gliding everywhere innocently and poiselessly, transacts alor fall. Not the least marvellous of admirable things about modern Japan is the peaceful, and that at night her citizens George STEADMAN, Melbourne. sleep the 'sleep of the just,' undisturbed by any noise except of the abiquitous nezumi, the Tokyo rat, and the occasional ominous sound of the hausho-the dreaded fire bell.

Tokyo is full of surprises, even for an old resident who might think he knew the enormous city tolerably well. There are quarters familiar to myself, for example, and where I am so well known, that when I lately walked up from the railway station in Shimbashi to Azabu, every shop, almost, contained an acquaintance and every corner produced fresh salutations on what the pretty Nippon styles my 'honourable return.' The pipestick seller and the lampman and the handsome little blackeved wife at the fish shop, and the astrologer under the post-office wall and the priest at the temple of Kompira Sama, and the boys and girls of the Kyobashi school, and the miller pounding rice, where. stark naked, and the 'ricksha mon under the hills, all recognised me, and beamed upon me a more or less kindly welcome back to their city, in which I fencied I had in past days seen fairly well all the wonders, and among them the best and largest which dot the prodigions area of the capital with so many oases of verdure that Tokyo is really the greenest city in the world .- Japan Mail.

IT'S GONE, ALL GONE, AND TM GOING;

For many a year did the same man sweep of certain street-crossing in Hampstead. Through It is good for a man who wants a little his post no more. A lady district visitor looked Not that one would exactly advise any put his arm beneath him to perform that service. dirly little convas bag tied with a leather string. As it was laid aside the old man perceived what had been done, lifted his skeleton frame partially from the bed and, trembling with excitement, said in a shrill whispor: 'Ah my treasure, my treasure !- It's gone, all gone, and I'm going too I' and sank back dead. The hag contained £500 in notes_the savings of his miserly life.

who has seen how he stands, calf-deep in chest. After rising he lost his senses and sunk heavy dead roots over, one after the other, aroused by the noise, struck a light and saw her 1 1893, at 3 p. ... the Company's to make the planting bed for the spring crop. husband in that situation. She afterwards dec. 8.8. Most newcomers, and all returning visit- lared he had gone black in the face, and that his with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPEOIE,

little railway which runs through the fields, Restoratives were applied which brought him to, but he was not as before. Se quickly and to New Bridge, Shimbashi, at the end of unexpectedly do we cross the boundary line between two opposite bodily conditions. It is like weak and sick, with a strange 'all-gone' sensametropolis of Japan ranks, be it known, tion throughout his whole system. His mouth and Value of Packages are required. among the twelve largest cities of the tasted badly and was filled with a slimy sort of whole world for population and extent of phlogm, his head ached, he was unable to draw area, containing about 1,000,000 inhabit. a deep breath, he walked with difficulty, and went about his business like a man who is

haunted by a paralysing dream. Perplexed and slarmed he consulted physicians, who prescribed for him, without, however, producing any noticeable improvement. The strong clear-headed man of previous years was gone-changed as by the wand of a vicious magician into the feeble being he now was, of good native domestic residences, and Even with this dismal prospect before him our the really grand masonry of the Shiro, or friend travelled not on level ground; his path led downward; he grew worse In December, There is, in fact, the dome of a Russian 1888, he had a distinct and bad attack, gave up church in one quarter, a yellow tower upon | business, and went to bed. There he remained Atago in another, and some steep black for a weary painful month—thirty days, as long temple gables here and there, which alone as thirty years of power and occupation. The

stomach and bowels. After he once more rese from his bed he still suffered dreadful poin and could rest peither day or night. Indeed, some nights he never slept a moment. So weak had he become that when he attempted a short walk he was obliged to abandon the effort, return and go to bed. His own words are these :- To give you an ides how reduced I had become I may mention that I lost over three stone weight and was wasting away. I kept on like this until January, 1891, when Mr Everson; of Occold, told me of a medicine called Mother Seigel's Syrop and the good it had done. I tried it and in three days I felt better. Cheered and encouraged by this I pleasure. The Syrap did me more good in a ant CARGO, will leave this Port for the full of noble forest timber, cryptomeria, few weeks than all my ten years dectoring put above places.

What do we learn from thin? We learn that while a miserly fool like our crossing-sweeper may starve for money, a wise man with more reverence for his bodily temple, seeks and finds a remedy for a tendency to starvation, induced by disease :- that the disease was indigestion and dyspepsia, and the remedy Mother Seigel's

DAMAGED MEN. You can soo any day, in the streets of any city, man who look damaged-men, too, of good original material, who started out in life with generous aspirations. Once it was said that they were bright, promising lads; once they looked happily into the faces of mothers whose daily breath was a prayer for their purity and peace. Going to the bad I the spell of cvil companionship; the willingness to hold and use tive, plausible advance of the appetite for strong drink; the treacherous fascination of the gambiing table; the gradual loss of interest is business and in things which build a man up : the rapid weakening of the whole body; a depiction of the breaks up the vital strength and harries many a man into an untimely grave. First symptoms in the absence of horse traffic. It is that appetite and indigestion, and various other signs. and the happy lack of tramcars, electric All are forerunners of some impending serious cars, omnibuses, and all the other vehicles physical complication. Recourse had to a raof daily use in America, which give to tional medicament such as Clements Tonic althese Asiatic highways their tranquillity ways removes all signs of disease, restores the and safety. Except in the Ginza and action of every impaired organ, increases the thoroughfares, those noisy necessities of healthy organism and granting the afflicted a new lease of life. 'For several years I have been steadily declining in health, suffering from nervous prostration, dizziness and unnatural ex- | at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight pectoration, flushed face after meals, sleepless | Lat Japan, the United States, and Europe. most all the 'movement' of the great hights and headsche, as if a great weight was capital, so that the streets are as safe for over my head. The action of the kidneys was Hagland, France, and Germany by nil children and infirm people as they are defective, and I often suffered severely from the trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the quiet for everybody. There must be more swelling of the legs, a circumstance from which than 100,000 jinrikishas in Tokyo; for all very serious consequences were apprehended. the world rides in these cheap, commodi. I retired recently from the proprietorship of the ons, and rapid, if ridiculous conveyances, Albion Hotel, Bourke-street, Melbourne, owing of which the two-legged steeds never shy, to my ili-health, and heped that complete rest nor jib, nor bolt, and very seldom stumble | would effect a uniterial change for the better, and that I would be able to spend my declining years with more comfort; but my health was not benemanner in which she has invented, and brought under my notice. A short course so universally adopted, a mode of locomotion improved my condition that it suppressed all various Railway lines to New York, vid that so exactly suits her people, her towns nervousness, subdued all my pain, greatly in- Chicago, St. Louis, Niagara Falls, Washingand cities, and her parrow roads. The creased the flow of arine; and I consider ton, Philadephia, Etc. happy consequence is that all her days are Clements Tonie "a remedy without a rival."

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> principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till

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Hongkong, February 22, 1893.

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2111 C. S. Mail Steamship CHINA will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, vid YOKOHAMA and HONO-LULU, on TUESDAY, the 21st March; Through Passage Tickets granted to principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on appli-

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Hongkong, February 21, 1893.

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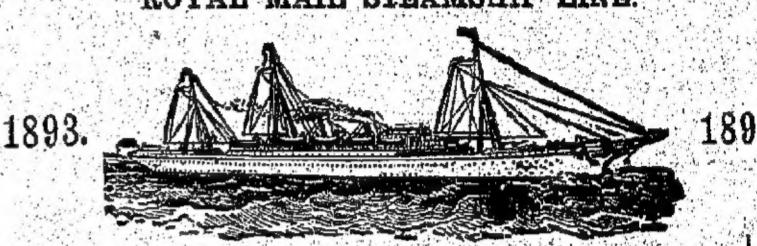
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